Appendix G Glossary

US 301 Project Development







GLOSSARY

AADT Average Annual Daily Traffic

ACOE United States Army Corps of Engineers

ACR Area Armstrong Corner Road Area

ADT Average Daily Traffic
APE Area of Potential Effect
ATI Area of Traffic Influence
ATR Automatic Traffic Recorders

BCI Biotic Comparison Index
BCR Area Boyds Corner Road Area
BMPs Best Management Practices

C&D Canal Chesapeake and Delaware Canal

CAA Clean Air Act

CEQ Council on Environmental Quality

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980

CFR Code of Federal Regulations

CLRP Constrained Long Range Transportation Plan

CTP Consolidated Transportation Plan

CWA Clean Water Act of 1972

CZMA Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972
CZMP Coastal Zone Management Program

dBA Decibels A-weighted. A measure of noise that reflect the human ear's sensitivity

DCMP Delaware Coastal Management Plan
 DEIS Draft Environmental Impact Statement
 DelDOT Delaware Department of Transportation
 DelTRAC Delaware's Intelligent Transportation System

DNHP Delaware Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program

DNR Maryland Department of Natural Resources

DNR ERU Maryland Department of Natural Resources Environmental Review Unit
 DNR WHS Maryland Department of Natural Resources Wildlife Heritage Division
 DNREC Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control

DOT Department of Transportation**DTC** Delaware Transit Corporation

EIS Environmental Impact Statement
EPA Environmental Protection Agency

EPA AIRS Environmental Protection Agency Aerometric Information Retrieval System

EPA MOBILE EPA emissions model for analysis of air quality



GLOSSARY

ERESE waters Waters of Exceptional Recreational and Ecological Significance

FAA Federal Aviation Administration
 FCIR Farmland Conversion Impact Rating
 FEIS Final Environmental Impact Statement
 FEMA Federal Emergency Management Agency

FHWA Federal Highway Administration

FIRM Flood Insurance Rate Map
FPPA Farmland Protection Policy Act
FTA Federal Transit Administration

GARVEE Grant Anticipated Revenue Vehicle
GIS Geographic Information System

gpm gallons per minute

HCM Highway Capacity Manual

HOV High Occupancy Vehicle (Two or more occupants)

HSIP Highway Safety Improvement Program

ISTEA Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act

ITMS Intelligent Traffic Management System
ITS Intelligent Transportation Systems

JPR Joint Permit Review

LE Land Evaluation

L_{eq} Equivalent Sound Level

LESA Land Evaluation Site Assessment

LOD Limit of Disturbance
LOS Level of Service

LUST Leaking Underground Storage Tank

MALPF Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Foundation

MDE Maryland Department of the Environment

MdTAMaryland Transportation AuthorityMETMaryland Environmental Trust

MIS Major Investment Study
MOA Memorandum of Agreement



GLOSSARY

MOT Maintenance of Traffic

M-O-T Middletown-Odessa-Townsend

MSL Mean Sea Level

MVM Million Vehicle Miles

NAAQS National Ambient Air Quality Standards

NAC Noise Abatement Criteria

NEPA National Environmental Policy Act of 1969

NMF National Marine Fisheries
NPS National Park Service

NRCS Natural Resources Conservation Service
NRHP National Register of Historic Places

NRI National River Inventory NSA Noise Sensitive Area

NWI National Wetlands Inventory

O-D Origin-Destination
ORT Open Road Tolling

PA Programmatic Agreement

PAHs Polynuclear Aromatic Compounds

PFA Priority Funding Area
PM Particulate Matter

RCD Rural Conservation District (Maryland)

RCRA Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976

Ridge Route An alignment route that follows the drainage divide between the Delaware River

watershed and the Chesapeake Bay watershed

ROD Record of Decision

ROW Right of Way

RPD Resource Protection District (Maryland)

RR Rural Residential

RTE Rare, Threatened, and Endangered Species

RTP Regional Transportation Plan

S/NAAQS State/National Ambient Air Quality Standards

SA Site Assessment

SAFETEA-LU Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users

SAV Submerged Aquatic Vegetation



GLOSSARY

SCEA Secondary and Cumulative Effects Analysis

SEPTA Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority

SHA Maryland State Highway Administration

SHPO State Historic Preservation Office

SI Area Summit Interchange Area SIP State Implementation Plan

SIRB Site Investigation and Restoration Branch

SOV Single Occupancy Vehicle

SR State Road

TAZ Transportation Analysis Zones

TDMS Transportation Demand Management System

TIP Transportation Improvement Plan

TNM Traffic Noise Model
TSP Total Suspended Particle

UDC Unified Development Code

USDA United States Department of Agriculture

USFWS United States Fish and Wildlife Service

USGS United States Geological Survey

VMS Variable Message Sign

VOC Volatile Organic Compounds

VWS Virtual Weigh Station

WILMAPCO Wilmington Area Planning Commission

WIMS Weigh-In-Motion Scales